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Attached is a response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment under 37 CFR 1.121, mailed April 25, 2005, for the above-referenced patent application.

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In re Application of:)

Stuelpnagel et al.)

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing are the following:

- ☒ Response to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment under 37 CFR 1.121 mailed April 25, 2005 (7 pages).
- ☒ Applicants claim small entity status.

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PENDING CLAIMS

	No. of current claims	Highest number previously paid for	No. extra	Small entity fee	Other entity fee
Total claims	23	23	0	x 25 = \$ 0	x 50 = \$
Independent claims	1	1	0	x 100 = \$ 0	x 200 = \$
First presentation of multiple dependent claims		yes	xx no	+180 = \$ 0	+360 = \$
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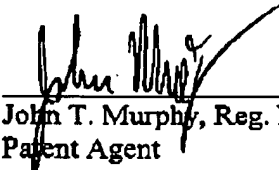
x The Applicants believe that no additional fees are due. To the extent necessary, Applicants petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension fees, but excluding issue fees, to Deposit Account No. 502690 (Order No. 01-00009) and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment under 37 CFR § 1.121, mailed April 25, 2005, Applicants request entry of the following Preliminary Amendment and consideration of the accompanying remarks.

Amendments to the specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.